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Serial No. 10/077,740

Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing please find an Amendment and Communication in response to the Office Action dated April 22, 2005 concerning the above-referenced Utility Patent Application. The Amendment and Communication comprises the following:

- 1. Amendment;
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- 3. Fee Transmittal;
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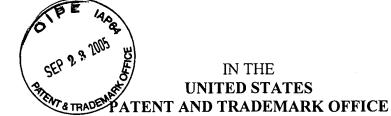
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